RETRIVAL CONFLICT ISSUE

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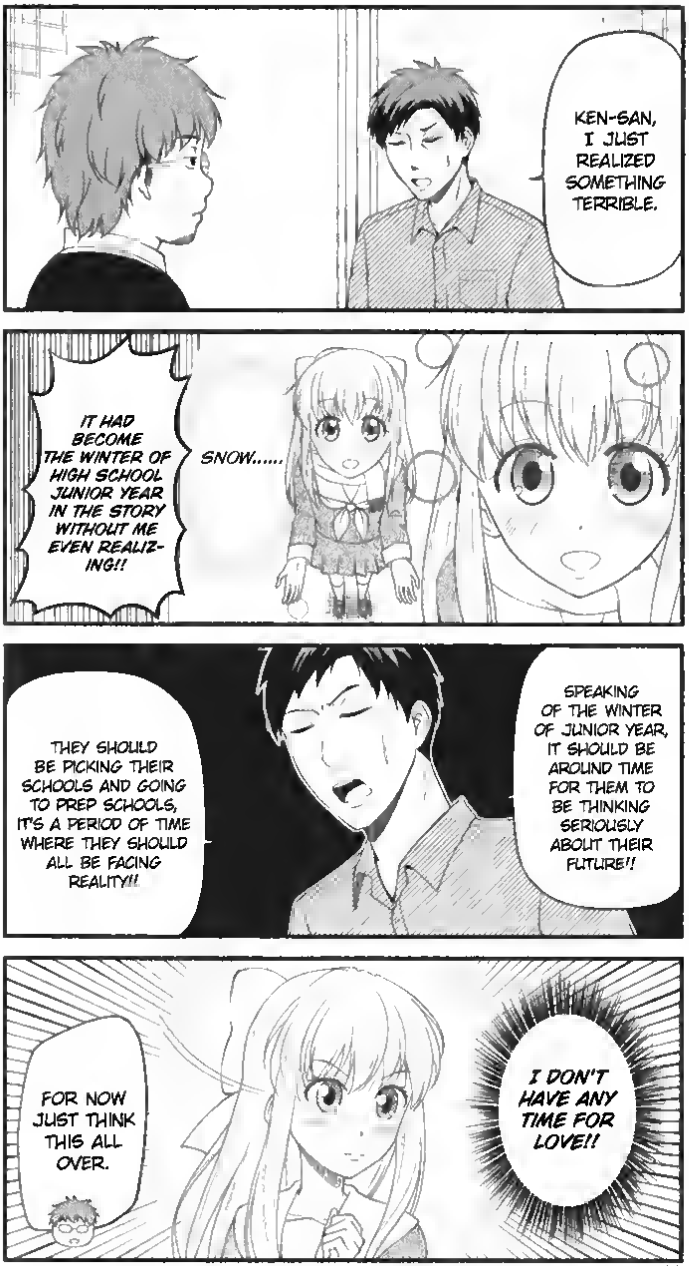
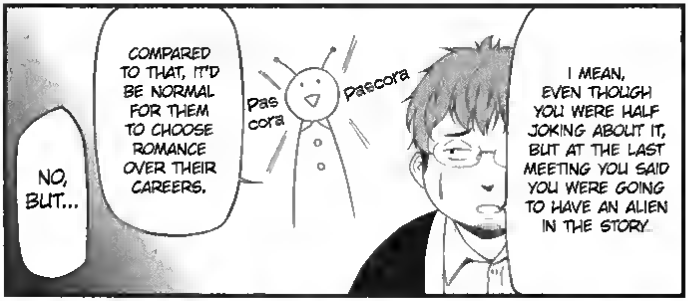

KEN-SAN, I JUST REALIZED SOMETHING TERRIBLE.
IT HAD BECOME THE WINTER OF HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR YEAR IN THE STORY WITHOUT ME EVEN REALIZING!!
SNOW.....
THEY SHOULD BE PICKING THEIR SCHOOLS AND GOING TO PREP SCHOOLS, IT'S A PERIOD OF TIME WHERE THEY SHOULD ALL BE FACING REALITY!!
SPEAKING OF THE WINTER OF JUNIOR YEAR, IT SHOULD BE AROUND TIME FOR THEM TO BE THINKING SERIOUSLY ABOUT THEIR FUTURE!!
FOR NOW JUST THINK THIS ALL OVER.
I DON'T HAVE ANY TIME FOR LOVE!!

AND THEN
IT'S FALL...
FLUTTER
2 MONTHS LATER.
I'M SO EXCITED ABOUT THE SUMMER VACATION...
Summer Holiday
BESIDES THIS MANGA COMPLETELY SKIPPED THE SUMMER AFTER FRESHMEN YEAR WHERE THERE SHOULD BE A LOT OF EVENTS GOING ON.
TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH.
WHY DID YOU DO SOMETHING LIKE THAT? YOU COULD'VE PULLED IT OUT A LOT OVER THERE
YUMENO-SAN...
My ideas really are the best, right?
I FELT LIKE IF I DID THAT, MAENO-SAN WOULD HAVE GIVEN ALL THE CREDIT TO HIMSELF...
KEN-SAN ...!!
YOU AND I, LET'S CREATE WHAT'S AHEAD OF US TOGETHER.
IT'S ALL RIGHT,

SYMPATHY

BUT WHY DON'T YOU NOT MIND THAT AND CONTINUE ON THE ROMANCE?
BUT IF I DO THAT, THE SENSE OF REALITY WILL...!!
YOU WERE SEEKING SOME-THING LIKE THAT!?


I MEAN, EVEN THOUGH YOU WERE HALF JOKING ABOUT IT, BUT AT THE LAST MEETING YOU SAID YOU WERE GOING TO HAVE AN ALIEN IN THE STORY.
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COMPARED TO THAT, IT'D BE NORMAL FOR THEM TO CHOOSE ROMANCE OVER THEIR CAREERS.
NO, BUT...

DID YOU KNOW THAT PARAS-COIANS... RECYCLE THEIR ONE-TIME USE CHOPSTICKS* AFTER WASHING THEM!?
We're eco-friendly
YOU DON'T NEED THAT KIND OF REALISM.

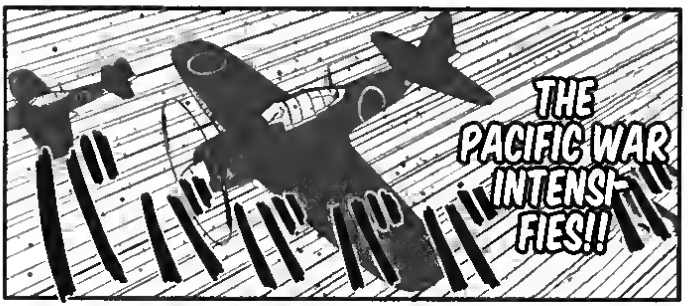
*THE BAMBOO CHOPSTICKS USED IN RESTAURANTS THAT ARE THROWN AWAY AFTER BEING USED ONLY ONCE

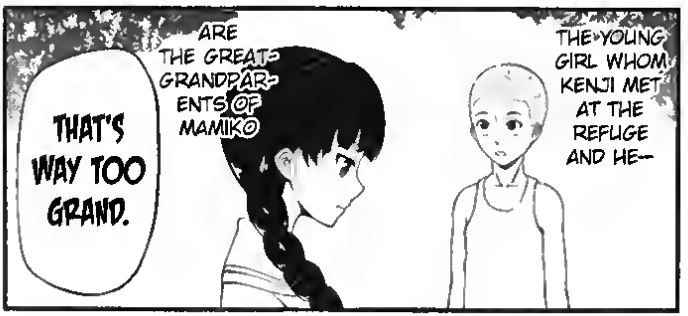
IT'S A TECHNIQUE LONG RUNNING ANIMES USE.
THEN YOU SHOULD JUST LOOP IT AS IF NOTHING HAPPENED.
I SEE, LOOP...!!
IS IT SOME-THING LIKE THIS
WOULDN'T IT BE FINE IF THEY STAYED JUNIORS FOR AS LONG AS THE SERIES CONTINUES?
18TH...!? ISN'T TODAY THE 19TH ...!?
I WILL NOW RELATE THE NEWS OF JANUARY 18TH.
RUMBLE RUMBLE RUMBLE
WHERE DID THE REALISM GO
OKAY, I'LL EXPLAIN IT AGAIN.
THIS NEWS... I SAW IT YESTERDAY TOO!!
AT THE AQUARIUM, A BABY SEAL WAS—

A PAST ARC

CAN YOU CREATE A DEVELOPMENT WHERE IT'D BE LIKE "OH YEAH, THIS HAP-PENED"?
HMM... YOU COULD ALSO START A FLASHBACK ARC TO STALL SOME TIME...

OH
WHAT IS IT LIKE?
WELL, I MORE OR LESS HAVE A "LET'S ROMANCE <3" CHAPTER O SET UP
THE PAST, HUH...


THE PACIFIC WAR INTENSI-FIES!!


THAT'S WAY TOO GRAND.
ARE THE GREAT-GRANDPAR-ENTS OF MAMIKO
THE YOUNG GIRL WHOM KENJI MET AT THE REFUGE AND HE--

I MYSELF HADN'T REALIZED THIS ON THE MANUSCRIPT, BUT HERE.
SPEAKING OF THE PAST, YOU CAN JUST DRAW THAT.
INTENTIONALLY
THE EXPERIENCES THAT LED HIM TO BE ABLE TO SWIM —OR SOMETHING ALONG THE LINES OF THAT, CAN YOU MAKE ROMCOM OUT OF THAT?
ALL LIFE COMES FROM THE OCEAN!!
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HIS CHARACTER SETTING WAS THAT HE CAN'T SWIM, BUT IN THIS SCENE HE'S SWIMMING SO EASILY
THAT PART OVER THERE.
AH—, YES YES
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THIS WAS TOTALLY YOUR MISTAKE.
THAT UNDERPLOT*
SHALL WE REMOVE IT?

*SOMETHING THAT CAN BE DEVELOPED FURTHER, A FORESHADOW

I THINK IT WOULD OKAY IF YOU JUST COMPLETELY SKIPPED THE EXAM PERIOD AND WENT BEYOND THAT?
HOW ABOUT YOU GO STRAIGHT INTO THE COLLEGE CHAPTER?
WE HAVE OTHER WORKS WITH COLLEGE STUDENT PROTAGONISTS.
R... RIGHT!!
AS EXPECTED OF KEN-SAN!!
OH—
MIYAMAE-KUN, ARE YOU MEETING UP WITH YUMENO-SENSEI?
I WAS JUST LOOKING AT A COLLEGE GIRL'S DRAFT SHE BROUGHT IN TOO
SO NICE, COLLEGE GIRLS—
HOW ABOUT ENTERING A COLLEGE ARC FOR "LET'S ROMANCE <3"?
MAENDDDDD!!

A NEW CHAPTER

——AND THIS WAS THE STORY YOU CAME UP WITH?

I HAVE TOO MANY ABSENC-ES AS WELL!!
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12
THIS IS SO BAD, I HAVE 4 CLASSES WITH FAILING GRADES!?

I HAD NO IDEA MAMIKO WAS SUCH A BAD STU-DENT...
IT'S BECAUSE SHE FOCUSES ON HER LOVE SO MUCH THAT SHE DOESN'T STUDY AT ALL.
I TRIED SHOWING THAT SIDE OF HER.

AND THEN... WHEN THE TIME COMES, I'M GOING TO HAVE HER REPEAT A YEAR.
AT THAT POINT, SHE REALLY SHOULDN'T BE THINKING ALL ABOUT LOVE.

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